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C O N F I D E N T I A L NAIROBI 3779

E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, MARR, KE

SUBJECT: JOINT STATE/DEFENSE SURVEY TEAM VISIT TTKENYA

REF: (A) STATE 058546, (B) NAIROBI 3702

1. DEPUTY PERMSEC OF MINISTRY OF DEFENSE ADVISED CHARGE
ORALLY MORNING OF MARCH 10 THAT GOK ACCEPTS TERMS OF
REFERENCE PROPOSED FOR VISIT BY SURVEY TEAM. FORMAL NOTE

FROM FOREIGN MINISTRY WILL FOLLOW AS SOON AS NECESSARY
GOK PAPER WORK IS COMPLETED.

2. EMBASSY BELIEVZS CONSIDERATION SHOULD BE GIVEN TO PUBLIC
AFFAIRS ASPECTS OF SURVES TEAM VISIT. PROPSENSITY OF GOK IS
TO KEEP ACTIVITIES RELATED TO KENYAN MILITARY MODERNIZATION
OUT OF MEDIA TO EXTENT POSSIBLE, BUT IN THIS CASE PRESENCE
HERE FOR SEVERAL WEEKS OF U.S. SURVEY TEAM CANNOT BE
CONCEALED. ARRIVAL STATEMENT AT AIRPORT CAN BE AVOIDED,
BUT TEAM LEADER AND/OR EMBASSY WILL CERTAINLY BE CONFRONTED
WITH QUESTIONS AS VISIT BECOMES PUBLIC KNOWLEDGE.
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WE RECOMMEND THAT, BASED ON TOP-LEVEL UNDERSTANDINGS
CONCERNING SURVEY TEAM VISIT(TO WHICH EMBASSY NOT
FULLY PRIVY) DEPARTMENT PREPARE AND TRANSMIT PRESS
GUIDANCE FOR USE ON CONTINGENCY BASIS WHICH WE CAN
CLEAR WITH GOK PRIOR TO TEAM'S ARRIVAL.
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